

House Resolution No. 136

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Luke Gilbert of Lee's Summit, Missouri, received the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony held on January 13, 2008, at St. Mark's Catholic Church; and

Whereas, Luke, a member of Boy Scout Troop 865, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building picnic tables for the Lee's Summit Parks Department; and

Whereas, during his ten years in Scouting, Luke mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty-one merit badges, the Ad Altare Dei award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow and the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

Whereas, Luke demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Den Chief, and Librarian; and

Whereas, the son of Jeff and Sherry Gilbert, Luke developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending various summer camps; and

Whereas, Luke's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Luke Gilbert for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Luke Gilbert.

Offered by _____
Representative Brian Yates
District No. 56

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 136, adopted January 16, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker